

**REQUEST FOR
CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)
TRANSMITTAL**

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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Subsection (b) of 35 U.S.C. § 132, effective on May 29, 2000,
provides for continued examination of an utility or
plant application filed on or after June 8, 1995

Application Number	10/727,576
Confirmation Number	8084
Filing Date	December 5, 2003
First Named Inventor	Praveen SHARMA et al
Group Art Unit	1634
Examiner Name	Switzer, J.
Matter Number	Q65721
Title	METHOD OF PREPARING A STANDARD DIAGNOSTIC GENE TRANSCRIPT PATTERN

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application.

1. SUBMISSION REQUIRED UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114

- a. ☒ Previously submitted
- i. ☒ Please enter and consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116
previously filed on September 21, 2007
- ii. ☐ Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on _____
Please enter and consider the Information Disclosure Statement
- iii. ☒ Other previously filed on September 21, 2007
- b. ☒ Enclosed
- i. ☒ Amendment/Reply
- ii. ☐ Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)
- iii. ☒ Information Disclosure Statements (IDS)
- iv. ☒ Petition for Extension of Time
- v. ☒ Other Statement of Substance of Interview

2. MISCELLANEOUS

- a. ☐ Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c) for a
period of _____ months
- b. ☐ Other _____

3. FEES

A check for the RCE statutory fee of \$405.00 (small entity) is attached. The USPTO is directed and authorized
to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please
also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is attached..

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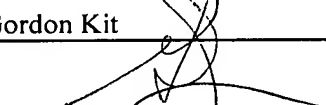
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